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JOTTINGS OF BRITISH JUSTICE.

At Guildhall Police Court, London, Saturday, July 22d, there was not a case to be tried, and the traditional pair of white gloves for a maiden sheet was presented to the magistrate.

Mr. Graham, a school teacher who had taught school for twenty-six years, was fined seven shillings by a London magistrate, for striking a pupil with a cane across the face. The teacher protested that he intended to strike the lad across the shoulders.

A police constable in London went to separate two men whom he saw in a fight. They ceased fighting each other and both pitched into him, for which the magistrate sentenced them to pay a fine each of $10 or to be imprisoned, with hard labor, for three months.

A London postman, whom a single pot of beer had overcome, according to his own statement, was fined £10 or must serve two months imprisonment. Perhaps the penalty was as much for his weakness as an Englishman to stand beer as for his weakness in taking it.

A chemist in London, who professed to be and practiced as a medical man and surgeon, whilst he was neither, was fined £5. Were penalties to be enforced in this country for such cases of false pretenses, the Courts would be kept busy for the year, and the aggregate fines would reach a million of dollars.

London magistrates hold that organ-grinders must move on from before houses where their playing is displeasing, under penalty of a fine. Oh, for the application of this measure of justice in our own land of unlicensed, and exasperating street music! Or else place before every court its own organ, with here and there the organ's own monkey.

An English Judge held the pushing down of one drunken woman by another equally drunk, whence death ensued, to be a "misadventure" and therefore ordered her discharge. But another English Judge fined an actor 40 shillings for having, while drunk, having knocked down the messenger of the theatre for an insulting remark, although the latter was drunker. Such is the law.

A man in London was fined 40 shillings for attempting to get on a train of cars whilst it was in motion. It is that kind of penal prosecution which at last prevents railway casualties and deaths, and the preventive ought to apply as well to getting off as getting on a moving train. Almost daily persons are, from such culpable carelessness or recklessness, either injured temporarily, crippled for life or killed.

Jane Gibbs, a woman of 22 years, was arrested in the streets of London while "on a tare" dressed in men's clothes and sentenced to a fine of five shillings or five days imprisonment. Before being led to the court she stated that the clothes belonged to a sailor with whom she lives and who was asleep when she put them on. He had no other suit, and would be obliged to keep abed until the clothes were returned. The magistrate ordered that her own clothes should be brought to her, which she put on in her cell, and the sailor's suit was then taken to him.

"TIGHT DRESSES" is the subject of a letter in the London "Sporting Gazette." Never, says the writer, have I seen the hideousness and absurdity of the present fashion of tight costumes to greater advantage than at Lord's Cricket Ground. Many ladies were rash enough to recline on the greensward, and their frantic efforts to rise from their recumbent position were a source of great amusement to the bystanders. The spectacle appeared to afford as much fun as a sack race, to which indeed it bore some resemblance. A certain duchess, I am told, behaved with the greatest self-possession under these somewhat humillating circumstances. Finding she could not rise in the ordinary way, she flung herself on all fours, and by throwing her weight alternately to right and left finally succeeded in gaining her perpendicular. These costumes are the joke of the season. Crowds of "gamins" gather round the carriages in Regent street in order to watch the swathed and swaddled mummies of fashion struggle to mount their carriage-steps; and the other day I was the witness of a very funny scene in Trafalgar square. A lady thus bandaged made no less than six ineffectual efforts to get into a 'bus. The passengers grew absolutely apoplectic with suppressed laughter, and even the gallant conductor who was doing his best to help beauty in distress, could hardly strugle his cachinnatory inclinations. I am sure that the street boys, at any rate, will be disconsolate, when this amusing freak of fashion dies out.

A divorce case, which had occupied the Matrimonial Court at Dublin for some days, was concluded July 3. Captain Morgan sought a divorce from his wife, Lady Louisa Morgan, daughter of the Earl of Mountcashel, whom he accused with misconduct with four persons. Lady Louisa Morgan positively denied on oath the truth of these allegations, and stated that she was very badly treated by her husband. She was fond of riding, and her husband said that he would break down her spirit and have her as tame as a mouse. One day in the hunting field he threw her out of her saddle. She had to be attended by a doctor in consequence of the injuries she received from the fall. One of his residences was a miserable little cabin, with the windows patched with straw. The captain was constantly drunk. On one occasion, when she got £20 from the captain's father to purchase a ring, he took it, and she had never seen it since. At night she had to leave her bedroom and hide herself in the woods from her husband. He was in the habit of calling her foul names before company, and treated herself and her children in a very improper manner. The jury, after a few minutes' deliberation, found a verdict for the wife.

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Tenders.

Yale District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed Tenders for "Section No. 1 Kamloops and Nicola Valley Wagon Road," will be received by John Ussher, Esq., Kamloops, up to 12 o'clock on Wednesday, 6th Sept. next, for the construction of a Wagonroad, from Kamloops to a point in Township No. 105, distance 13½ miles more or less.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Government Agent Kamloops, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $1500 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted, unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, August 17th, 1876. au18

PUBLIC NOTICE.

KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, on the 31st August, 1876, for the right of maintaining a Ferry, for the term of Five (5) Years, across the Kootenay River, at the mouth of the St. Mary's River.

The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than six (6) pack animals and their loads.

The Ferry right to extend ten miles above and ten miles below the crossing.

Tenders to state the Rent proposed, and the Rates of Toll for every

Foot Passenger,
Loaded Animal,
Unloaded Animal,
Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Goats, etc.

All Officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and endorsed, "Tender for Kootenay river Ferry.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, June 7th, 1876. jo8

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA EXpect to be able on or before

JANUARY, 1877,

TO INVITE

Tenders for Building and Working

The Sections between

Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean,

under the provisions of the Canada Pacific Railway Act, 1874.

This Act (after reciting that it is expedient to provide for the construction of the work as rapidly as it can be accomplished without further raising the rate of taxation) enacts that the Contractors for its construction and working shall receive LANDS, or the proceeds of LANDS, at the rate of 20,000 acres, and cash at the rate of $10,000—for each mile of railway constructed: together with interest at the RATE of four PER CENT., per ANNUM, for TWENTY-FIVE YEARS from the COMPLETION of the WORK, or any further sum which may be stipulated in the contract; and the act requires parties tendering to state, in their offers, the lowest sum, if any, per mile on which such interest will be required.

Copies of the Act, Maps showing the general route so far as at present settled, the published reports of Engineers, and such other information as is now available, can be seen at the Canadian Emigration Agency, in London, England, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa.

This intimation is given in order to afford to all parties interested the fullest opportunity of examination and enquiry.

By order,
F. BRAUN
Secretary,
Dept. Public Works.

Department of Public Works,
OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876. } je27

Cowichan District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tenders for Repairs to Road from Lambkin Bridge to Askew's" will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Saturday the 2nd September next, for the construction of certain repairs to the abovementioned road.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of H. Fry, J. P., Chemainus, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $250 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Aug. 21st, 1876. au22

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IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE BLADDER.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
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Surgeon and Physician,
CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.
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Tenders.

PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

TENDERS WANTED FOR THE UNDERmentioned articles;

Firkin butter ℔ lb.
Fresh do
No. and 2 S. I. Sugar ℔ lb.
S. F. Crushed do
No. 1 Rice ℔ lb.
Chiraitta do
Flour ℔ 100 lbs.
Syrup ℔ gallon.
Tea, English Congou, ℔ lb.
Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powder ℔ doz.
Washing Soda ℔ 100lbs.
Laundry Soap ℔ box 56lbs.
Scotch Oat Meal ℔ lb.
Pearl Barley do
Split Peas do
Coffee, best ground, ℔ lb.
Apples ℔ 100lbs.
Dried Apples ℔ lb.
Ham ℔ lb.
Eggs ℔ dozen.
Mustard ℔ lb.
Pepper, ground, ℔ lb.
Sperm Candles do
Lard do
Tobacco do
Corn Brooms, each.
Fine L Salt ℔ 100lbs.
Coal Oil ℔ gallon.
Bryant & May's Safety Matches ℔ doz.
Cheese ℔ lb.
Milk ℔ gallon.
Bread ℔ lb.
Beef, Mutton and Pork ℔ lb.
Beef and Mutton for Soup ℔ lb.
Potatoes ℔ 100lbs.
Carrots, Onions, Cabbage, Parsnips ℔ lb.
Miller's Mole Pants ℔ pair.
Grey Canton Flannel ℔ yard.
Welsh do do
White Twill do do
Grey Twill do do
Rivetted Brogans ℔ doz.
Heavy Woollen Socks ℔ doz.
Heavy White Cotton Socks ℔ doz.
Grey Russian Sheeting ℔ yard.
Heavy Duck ℔ yard.
3½ Green, Blue and White Blankets ℔ pair.
Grey Canton Flannel Shirts ℔ dozen.
Welsh do do
White Twill Flannel Drawers, men's, ℔ dozen.
Grey do do
Heavy Duck Shirts, men's, ℔ dozen.
Red Cotton Pocket Handkerchiefs, men's, ℔ dozen.
Best Nanaimo Coal ℔ ton,
Best Dry Pine ℔ cord.
Pure Fresh Water ℔ 100 gallons.

Sealed tenders for the above, accompanied by samples, endorsed "Tenders for Asylum Supplies," to be sent to the Asylum, directed to the Superintendent, on or before 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, the 31st August instant.

Tenders to be for 12 months, or for any part of 12 months that the Lunatic Asylum may be retained in Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

au6 J. J. DOWNIE, Superintendent.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
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CHLORODYNE
IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. P Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE: that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.

The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, of freshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Cramp Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, be

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed

Dr. Lowe, Medical Missionary in India reports (Dec 1866) that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr Collis Brownes' Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.

Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

Extract from the general Board of Health, London, as to its efficacy in Cholera.—So strongly are we convinced of the immense value of this remedy that we cannot too forcibly urge the necessity of adopting it in all cases.

Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE from which frequent fatal results have followed

See leading article, Pharmaceutical Journal, Aug 1, 1869, which states that Dr J. Collis Browne was the inventor of Chlorodyne: that it is always right to use his preparation when Chlorodyne is ordered. Sold in bottles at 1s 1½d, 2s 9d, 4s 6d, and 11s each.

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TAYLOR BROTHERS' HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation, is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœopathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritous property of the fresh nut.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE, AND COCOA AND MILK, are made in one minute without boiling.

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ACCUMULATION OF PHLEGM.

These Lozenges contain no opium or deleterious drug, therefore the most delicate can take them with perfect confidence. No remedy is so speedy and certain in its beneficial effects.

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Notices.

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LOAN ACT, 1876.

SEALED TENDERS for Debentures to be issued under the above Act will be received at the Treasury, Victoria.

Such Tenders may be for any sum not less than $500 (five hundred dollars), or more than $350,000 (three hundred and fifty thousand dollars).

All Tenders to be endorsed, under cover, "Tender for Debentures," and to be addressed to

The Hon. Minister of Finance,
Victoria.

T. BASIL HUMPHREYS,
Finance Minister.

TREASURY, DEPARTMENT,
VICTORIA, July 8th, 1876.
[Guardian and Free Press copy.] jy9

Trespass Notice.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED AGAINST trespassing on the enclosed lands of the undersigned in pursuit of game.

au10 W. F. TOLMIE.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
26th July, 876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

WILLIAM SMITHE, Esq., to be Minister of Finance and Agriculture for the Province of British Columbia.

ARCHIBALD MCKINLAY, Esq., to be a Commissioner for the Province of British Columbia, to act conjointly with a Commissioner appointed by the Government of the Dominion, for the adjustment of the Indian Reserve Question of British Columbia.

J. L. S. HUGHES, Esq., to be Government Agent at Clinton, vice C. E. Pope, Esq., resigned.

J. L. S. HUGHES, Esq., to be Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," vice C. E. Pope, Esq., resigned.

J. L. S. HUGHES, Esq., to be District Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the Polling Divisions of Canoe Creek and Clinton, vice C. E. Pope, Esq.

J. L. S. HUGHES, Esq., to receive applications for registration and record, under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act, 1870," the "Land Registry Amendment Act, 1873," and to perform the duties heretofore allotted to the Stipendiary Magistrates under the "Bills of Sale Ordinance, 1870," the "Bills of Sale Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Cattle Exemption Act, 1871," in and for the Polling Divisions of Canoe Creek, Clinton, and Williams Lake, vice C. E. Pope, Esq.

EWEN BELL, Esq., to be Toll Collector, Clinton, vice C. E. Pope, Esq., resigned.

27th July, 1876.

JOHN MORLEY, Esq., to be Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Cowichan, vice F. Foord, Esq., whose appointment has been cancelled. jy30

APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
August 18th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

MICHAEL O'CONNOR, Esq., to be Government Agent at Clinton, vice J. L. S. Hughes, Esq.

MICHAEL O'CONNOR, Esq., to be Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," vice J. L. S. Hughes, Esq.

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The following gentlemen to be Assessors and Collectors, under the "Assessment Act, 1876."

EDWARD ALLEN, Esq., for the Electoral District of Lillooet and the Williams Lake Polling Division of the Electoral District of Cariboo, vice A. W. Smith, Esq., resigned.

BARRINGTON PRICE, Esq., for the Rock Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale, vice J. C. Haynes, Esq., resigned.

The following gentlemen to form Courts of Appeal under the "Assessment Act, 1876."

H. M. BALL, Esq., for the Cariboo District.
E. H. SAUNDERS, Esq., for Clinton, Cache Creek, Kamloops, Lytton, Yale and Hope, in Yale District.
M. LUMBY, Esq., for Okanagan in Yale District.
THOMAS WOODWARD, Esq., for Nicola Lake in Yale District.
J. C. HAYNES, Esq., for Rock Creek in Yale District.
C. BOOTH, Esq., for the Kootenay District.
A. W. VOWELL, Esq., for the Cassiar District.
H. PIDCOCK, Esq., for the Comox Electoral District.
W. R. SPALDING, Esq., for the Nanaimo Electoral District.
G. FEY, Esq., for the Cowichan Electoral District.
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Trespass Notice.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed against trespassing on the Farm of the undersigned in pursuit of Game.

J. D. PEMBERTON,
au3 Gonzales Vale.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
22nd July, 1876.

THE Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint RICHARD EDWARD WOODS, Esq., to be a Registrar under and to carry out the provisions of the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and of the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872."
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Notices.

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, PROPERTY-MAN AT Theatre Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity.

Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Jesse Davis, of Dog Creek, B. C., deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 5th day of September, 1876, to

WM. LAING MEASON, J. P.,
Official Administrator.

Little Dog Creek, June 5th, 1876. jel1d3m

Public Notice.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON private business to the Honorable Forbes George Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are requested by the undersigned to endorse the word "Private" on the outside of the envelopes covering such communications.

A. S. FARWELL,
Lands & Works Dept., Surveyor-General.
Victoria, March 1st, 1876. mh2dw

NOTICE.

"LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870."

Victoria Five-Acre Suburban Lot, No. V

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shall issue to "The Trustees of the First Presbyterian Church of Vancouver Island" a duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original, dated 10th March, 1866, alleged to have been lost), to "All that piece or parcel of ground forming part of suburban lot No. Five, Victoria Town, and more particularly described as commencing at the southwest corner of the said lot; thence running East along Pandora street ninety-nine feet; thence at right angles Northerly along the piece of land (then) belonging to Edward Henry Jackson one hundred and twenty feet; thence at right angles Westerly ninety-nine feet, and thence at right angles Southerly one hundred and twenty feet to the place of beginning."

Unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. D. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General.
4th August, 1876. au5

TRESPASS NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed against trespassing on "Hillside" or the Work Estate in pursuit of game. Any one found so trespassing will be prosecuted according to law.

Victoria, B C., Aug. 5, 1876. au9

Notice—Shooting.

J. D. PEMBERTON HAVING CONTRACTed to grant the exclusive right of shooting on his lands, has undertaken with the licensees that all trespassers shall be prosecuted as the law will permit.

A watchman has been appointed for the express purpose of detecting and identifying trespassers, and to report and give evidence against them. au15*

The substance of this Notice, as soon as it is received on board, is to be inserted in red ink on the Charts affected by it; and introduced into the margin, or otherwise into the page, of the Sailing Directions to which it relates. See instructions, Navigation and Pilotage, p. 172.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

[No. 49.]

BRITISH COLUMBIA—VANCOUVER ISLAND STRAIT OF GEORGIA.

Fixed Light on Entrance Island.

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given Notice, that on the 1st May, 1876, a light will be exhibited from a Lighthouse recently erected on Entrance Island, south point of entrance to Nanaimo Harbour.

The light will be a FIXED white light, elevated 65 feet above the high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 14 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is catoptric or by reflectors.

The tower, 50 feet high, is square, built of wood, painted white, and is attached to the keeper's dwelling.

Position, lat. 49 deg. 12 min. 50 sec. N., long. 123 deg. 48 min. 45 sec. W.

By Command of their Lordships,
FREDK. J. EVANS,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
25th April, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Vancouver Island, No. 1917; Fraser River to N. E. point Texada Island, No. 579; and Cook River to California, No. 2461; Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the Western Coast of North America, 1876, page 16 and Vancouver Island Pilot, page 113. jo25

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned intends to cause possession to be taken of the following lots situate in the Town of Esquimalt, and known as sub-division of suburban Lot No. 21, Esquimalt district, for Graving Dock purposes, viz:—Lots 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 54, and 55.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, July 22nd, 1876. jy23

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery, and of nisi prius, will be held at Laketown Cassiar, on or about Friday the 18th day of August, next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 2nd day of July, 1876.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary.

jy23

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order
MARCUS SMITH.

VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

Daily British Colonist

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 29TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

PROTECTION.

We are glad to find that the farmers of Metchosin and Esquimalt have declined to mix up a statement of their grievances with the Carnarvon Terms. In this resolve they are in accord with the residents of Victoria, Nanaimo and elsewhere on the Island, who have almost unanimously repudiated a proposition to alter those terms by the insertion of a route-clause. The meeting at Colwood on Saturday was well attended and some practical and telling speeches were made by gentlemen present; but we observe that Mr. DeCosmos (who spoke at the meeting) in his leading article on the subject has seen proper to ignore every speech save his own. To his own remarks he refers in complimentary terms as follows:

"And if the advice of one of the speakers at the Colwood meeting—Hon. Mr. DeCosmos—be followed by our legislature in acting in this matter there will be no difficulty in securing a tariff for the Dominion which will not crush out the farming interest. * * * *Should our present Legislative Assembly not continue in existence long enough to act in forcing on the Dominion Government the necessity of a suitable tariff for British Columbia,*" etc.

The 'honorable' speaker whose "advice" is so good that in his opinion it ought to "be followed" by our Legislature should inform himself on a subject before he undertakes to enlighten others. For his information we would state that the Legislative has already acted. Despite the hostility of the 'honorable' gentleman's organ, on the 16th of last May an address asking for the imposition of the following duties on articles raised in the Province was passed by the Legislaure by a majority of more than two to one:

Horses—Specific tax of $5 per head, in addition to *ad valorem* tax of 10 per cent.
Sheep—50 cents per head.
Swine—$2 per head.
Butter—5 cents per lb.
Bacon—2 cents per lb.
Eggs—3 cents per dozen.
Grain—Other than wheat or Indian corn, impose 10 per cent. *ad valorem.*

The farmers should support these recommendations and thus strengthen the hands of Mr. Bunster and others of their true friends at Ottawa. As for Mr. DeCosmos, he deserted the Protectionist members of 1872 and has been five years at Ottawa without making an honest effort to secure protection for the farmer. Once, when Mr. Bunster introduced a protection resolution Mr. DeCosmos drew the attention of the Speaker to an alleged "unconstitutionality" connected with it, and the resolution was ruled out! Last session Mr. DeCosmos brought forward a resolution in favor of Protection and Mr. Bunster seconded it in good faith, whereupon Mr. DeCosmos withdrew it! Can it be possible that the "advice" of this traitor to a good cause is worthy of being "followed," especially when he showed by his remarks at the meeting of Saturday that he is ignorant of the fact that the Legislature had already moved in the matter?

Attitude of the English Press.

The interest evinced by the London press in the affairs of this Province, of which we are advised by telegram, is largely the result of the long-continued exertions and arrangements of our late representative in England, who has left that office to take a higher and more responsible one in this Province, in which he can continue to work for the promotion of the interests of British Columbia. It may interest our readers to be informed that the London *Times* has, we believe, a special correspondent here who, by telegram and letter, has no doubt fully informed that great journal of the interesting events that have lately taken place amongst us.

DR. JAMES

Has removed to Broughton street opposite the City Chambers. Philip James, M. D., Diplomatized Eclectic Physician, returns his sincere thanks to the inhabitants of the City of Victoria and its surroundings for the very liberal support he has received since his arrival here, and begs a continuance of the same. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatics cured in one hour without pain. He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits. N. B.—Special attention given to all diseases of women and children.

BLANKBOOK MANUFACTORY AND BOOKBINDERY.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co.'s store.

CHEAP SILKS.—Just received at London House a full assortment of Black Silks of the best makes from the celebrated manufactory of C. J. Bonnet & Co., Lyons; also, a choice lots of Colored Silks. In consequence of the great depression in the European markets these will be sold at very low prices.—TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL.

WM. HAYNES, Bandmaster Militia, will give instruction in the theory of harmony at schools or residences. Processions, balls, private parties, &c., &c., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's, Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention.

New Advertisements.

Hot Pies! All Hot!

THE WEST COUNTRY
CHOP, STEAK AND PIE HOUSE,
Fort Street, next to the Brown Jug.

HOT PIES EVERY NIGHT FROM 6 TO 11.
au29 GEORGE CROSSMAN.

REMOVAL.

H. M. Cowper

Has removed his splendid stock of

BOOTS and SHOES

To the Brick Building, next door to the Bank of British Columbia,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Where he will be happy to wait on his old customers and all the new ones who may pay him a visit.
au29

AUCTION.

Preliminary Notice.

TRADE SALE OF DRY GOODS, Clothing, Etc.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.
Will sell by public auction at salesroom, Wharf St.,
Tuesday, Sept. 5th, at 11 o'clock a.m.
ON A LIBERAL CREDIT.

A fine line of Gent's Cassimere, Melton, Tweed and Beaver Coats, Pants and Vests, Shaker Flannel, Merinno and Shetland U. S. Drawers, Shaker Socks, Men's Braces, Cardigan Jacaets, Superior White Shirts, Arctic Overshoes, Men's and Women's Gaiters Bal. Skirts, a fine line of Ladies' Dry Goods, &c., &c.
Particulars to-morrow.
au29 J. P. DAVIES & CO., Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.
Will sell at Salesroom, Wharf Street,
Thursday, Aug. 31st, at 11 o'clk a.m.

Sal Soda in Casks, Sal Soda in Glass, No. 1 Batavia Sugar, Grocer's Paper, Printer's Paper, Pat. Clothes Pins, 50 Cases Winslow's Corn, Socket Brooms, Stone Pipes, Wax Vestas, — cases Elema Figs, Irish Potatoes in tins, Sweet Potatoes in tins, China and Japan Teas, Oregon Hams, California Soap, Eastern Starch, Armistead's Mustard

—ALSO—

Large Double Hay Cutter, Single and Double Harness, China Matting, Whips, Halters, Mexican Saddles, Lamp Chimnies, Cruets, Decanters, Platedware, Cutlery, Furniture, Etc., Etc.

ALSO—New Wagons.

1 Heavy Express Wagon with pole,
1 Light Express Wagon with shafts,
1 Two-Horse, Lumber Wagon,
4 Cultivators or Scufflers.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.
au29 Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

Of Nearly New
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Have received instructions from
Mr. DAVID GREEN,
To sell by Public Auction at his residence Vancouver street,
Wednesday, Sept. 15th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
All his well-kept and desirable Furniture consisting of:

DINING-ROOM.

Walnut Sideboard, Dining Table, Oak Dining Chairs, Kidder Carpet, Elegant Sewing Machine, Parlor Grate, Liquor Case, Silver Spoons and Forks, Fish Knife and Fork, Soup Ladles, Toddy Kettle, Electro Plate Dinner and Breakfast Cruets, Tea and Coffee Sets, Cut Glassware, China Tea Set, Table Linen, Blinds, Curtains, Table Cutlery, Clocks.

PARLORS.

Elegant Black Walnut Parlor Suite, What-not, Marble Top and Centre Tables, Turkish Lounge, Brocatelle and Lace Curtains, Silk Cornices, Handsome Proof Engravings, Nearly New Walnut Cased Silver Toned

ENGLISH COTTAGE PIANO,

Bead Baskets, Bronze Gas Fixtures, Looking Glass, Fender and Fire Irons, Medalion Brussels Carpet and Rugs, Card Receivers, Ornaments, &c.

HALL.

Oil Cloth, Hat Rack, Door Mats, Stair Carpet and Brass Rods.

BED ROOMS.

Mahogany Bedstead, Marble Top Washstand, Bureau, Window Blinds, Spring and Hair Mattrasses, Sheets and Counterpanes, Kidder Carpet, Bolster and Pillows, Walnut Trimmed Oak Bed-room Set, Looking Glasses, Down Coverlets, Heavy Family Blankets.

KITCHEN.

Superior "NOBLE COOK" Stove, Dishes, Saucepans and usual Kitchen Furniture.

ALSO

Fine Laying Hens, Garden Tools, Meat Safe, Fire Wood, &c.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.
au29 Auctioneers.

To Let.

CRAIGMOORE COTTAGE, ON PANDORA street, is offered for rent, unfurnished.
Apply to ROBERT BEAVEN,
au10 Real Estate Agent, Masonic Building.

To Be Let Furnished.

PARLOR AND BEDROOM, WITH ONE or two Beds, with board if required, in a healthy locality, within five minutes' walk of the Postoffice, Victoria. Apply at
je20 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

FOR SALE.

A SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, WITH Pantry, Store-room and Out-houses complete, Well of Good Water and two Lots well stocked with Fruit Trees, situate on North Park St., Victoria. For particulars apply at
my30 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

FOR SALE.

THE OLD-ESTABLISHED HALF-WAY House and Brewery on the Esquimalt Road. Apply on the premises to
no18 JAMES BLAND.

A GRAND VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT

Will shortly be given under the auspices of the
MECHANICS LITERARY INSTITUTE
Particulars next week. au3

New Advertisements.

GRASS SEEDS WANTED.

TIMOTHY, ORCHARD, RYE, &c. Address, with Samples, stating quantity on hand and price.
J. D. PEMBERTON,
au27 Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL HARVEST THANKSGIVING Service will be held at Metchosin on Wednesday next, August 30th, at 2:30.
The Cemetery will be consecrated, and the sermon will be preached by the Lord Bishop of Columbia.
The settlers will provide a Luncheon at 4 p.m. Tickets 50 cents each.
The Collections during the day will be devoted to paying for the new bell.
Williams' Omnibus will leave the Postoffice at 11:30 Fare $1 the trip. au27

DOMINION GOVERMENT

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS are requested to present their PASS-BOOKS at the Bank, as early as may be convenient, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th of June, 1876.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Manager.
VICTORIA, B. C., Aug 26th, 1876. au27

COURVOISIER'S

COGNAC.

THIS CELEBRATED BRANDY IS HIGHly esteemed for its purity, delicacy of bouquet, and softness of flavor. It is used in preference to any other in many of the leading Clubs in Paris and London. For sale by
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
au27 1m Sole Agents for British Columbia.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Tuesday, August 29th, 1876.
AMATEUR PERFORMANCE,
— BY THE —
SEAMEN AND MARINES OF H. M. S. FANTOME,
In Aid of the
Widows & Orphans
— OF THE —
Victims by the recent Catastrophe on H. M. S. Thunderer.
When will be presented the thrilling drama of
Michael Earl, the Maniac Lover,
OR THE LASS OF LITCHFIELD,
To conclude with the laughable Farce of
Boots at the Swan.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette	$1 00
Pit	50
Private Boxes	$8 and $6

Performance will commence at 8 o'clock.
Seats may be secured at the Boxoffice on the day of the performance. au27

Provincial School Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the "School Tax Act, 1876," every male person above eighteen years of age, resident in the City of Victoria School District, is required to pay to the use of Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, an annual tax of three dollars, toward the maintenance of Public Schools.
The said Tax is now past due, and all persons liable are required to pay the same to the Collector forthwith, or in default they will be put to cost.
J. E. McMILLAN,
Collector.
Victoria, August 25th, 1876. au27

Re STAMP ESTATE—FOR SALE.

THE UNDERMENTIONED PROPERTY belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. E. Stamp, on terms to suit, viz:

VICTORIA TOWN LOTS:

No. 1148, 1149 on Vancouver street, between Scoresby and Richardson streets.
No. 1047 on Johnson street.
No. 1292 on St. Lawrence street, fronting the harbor.
No. 581 Laurel Point.
No. 1001 on View street, between Vancouver & Cook streets.
No. 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925 on Kingston street, between Oswego and Montreal streets.
One-half Suburban Lot No. 50, Esquimalt Harbor.
Two sections Farming Land, Comiaken Lake, near Maple Bay, Cowichan.
Two Newcastle Town Lots, Nanaimo, No. 76 Block 9 and Lot 48 Block 10.
Two New Westminster Town Lots No. 1 & 2 Block 4.
1200 Acres Superior Farming Land, Canoe Pass, Fraser River.
For further particulars apply to
J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Executor of the Estate, Driard House.
Or L. LOWENBERG,
au26 Government Street, Victoria.

Postponement.

The Sale of Rev. F. B. Gribbell's Furniture is unavoidably postponed until September 27th.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
au26 Auctioneers.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS.

THE FIRST-CLASS SIDE-WHEEL S S.

DAKOTA,

CAPTAIN . . . . . MORSE.

Will leave Engelhardt & Co's wharf at Esquimalt for San Francisco

On Thursday, August 31st,
AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M.

All Freight and baggage by her must be on our Wharf at Victoria by Wednesday Evening at 5 o'clock.

For Freight or Passage apply to
ENGELHARDT & CO.,
au25 Agents.

ARTHUR FELLOWS,
Auction Buyer & General Commission Agent,
606 Montgomery Street, (Room 9.) San Francisco.
au19

New Advertisements

Fall Trade. WHOLESALE. Winter Goods.

IMMENSE STOCK, CHOICE SELECTIONS,
GREAT BARGAINS, LATEST DESIGNS,
NEW GOODS, BEST ASSORTMENT.

STROUSS, BRIGGS, KURTZ & CO.

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA,

Have the MOST COMPLETE STOCK of GOODS ever offered in this market, selected especially by one of the Firm from the Manufactories of London, Manchester, Birmingham, Paisley, Frankfort, Paris, New York and San Francisco, which they offer to the Trade at a Discount on former Prices. Discount Sales commencing THIS DAY, and as an inducement to Purchasers

BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN FOR TWO MONTHS

In order to reduce the stock to make room for Heavy Spring Importations.

IN STOCK.

3,000 Pairs 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4 Point Blankets,
200 Pairs Fine Family Blankets,
3,000 Pairs Pants,
500 Fancy Rugs,
50,000 Yards Prints,
10,000 Yards Assorted Dress Goods,
2,000 Yards Merinos and Alpacas,
5,000 Yards Assorted Colors Wincey,
2,000 Yards Waterproof Tweed,
300 Dozen Hats and Caps,
500 " Towels,
100 " Briar Root Pipes,
100 " Umbrellas,
100 " Braces,
300 " Neckties,
700 " Handkerchiefs,
40 " Felt Skirts,
3,000 Yards Flannels, in Fancy Colors and White,
1,000 Yards Blue and Scarlet Serge,
20,000 Yards Grey and White Cottons,
5,000 Yards Denins and Drilling,
300 Dozen Duck and Denin Overalls and Jumpers,
500 Dozen Shirts and Drawers, in Merino, Flannel, Serge, Cashmere and Silk,
200 Dozen White and Fancy Dress Shirts,
1,000 Dozen Assorted Hosiery,
300 Gross Brooks' Thread,
100 Spindles Fingering Yarn,
500 Pieces Ribbons (Assorted),
20,000 Paper Collars,
2,000 Shawls (Assorted),
200 Alhambra Quilts,
200 Honeycomb Quilts,
100 Pieces Swiss Needlework,

MEN'S CLOTH, TWEED & DIAGONAL SUITS, PILOT JACKETS, ULSTERS, BEAVER AND WHITNEY OVERCOATS, SILK UNDERWEAR, EIDER-DOWN QUILTS, LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, LACES, BRAIDS, TAPES, BUTTONS, COMBS, HAIR BRUSHES, MIRRORS, WHISKS, PURSES, JEWELERY, HARMONICANS, POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS, STATIONERY, TWINE, WOOL CLOUDS, COMFORTERS, CARPET SLIPPERS, BUCK, WOOL & KID GLOVES, CORSETS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, RUBBER CLOTHING, GUNS, Etc., Etc., Etc.

100,000 HAVANA CIGARS,

TEN CHOICE BRANDS, to which we invite especial attention as the Best Assortment in the Market.

Hennessy Brandy, Old Dark Sazarac Brandy, Case Brandy.
Malaga Raisins, Prunes, Tobacco, California Wines, 100 Cases Rubber Boots.
au26 1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned carrying on business in Victoria as Wharfingers, Steamship Agents, &c., under the style of Engelhardt & Tibbals, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Engelhardt, who will carry on the business in the name of Engelhardt & Co., is hereby authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will discharge all liabilities.
J. F. E. ENGELHARDT.
H. L. TIBBALS.
Witness—Henry Thain.
Victoria, 11th August, 1876. au13

RECEPTION OF

LORD AND LADY DUFFERIN.

PARTIES WANTING FLAGS AND OTHER Decorations. Apply to
THOS. GORRIE,
Fort street, Victoria.
Ball Room Decorations attended to with promptness. au13

Teacher Wanted.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, August 30th, 1876, for the position of Assistant Female Teacher for the Nanaimo Public Schools. Salary $50 per month. Applicants to state the earliest possible time at which (if accepted) they can enter upon their duties.
GEO. NORRIS,
Sec-Treas, Nanaimo Trustee Board.
Nanaimo, Aug. 14, 1876 au15dw

REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS
BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE
TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.
is now prepared to receive orders for every description of
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds
FRENCH KIP AND CALF,
UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY,
Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers
my28 CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

CAME TO THE PREMISES

OF THE UNDERSIGNED A BAY PONY marked with W.-R. and C. R. on the hind quarter, and also a blaze on the face. The owner can have the same by paying expenses, etc.
au23 FRED. REYNOLDS.

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent
Government St., near Corner of Broughton.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some, of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

St. Louis College.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL REopen on Friday, Sept. 1st, at 9 o'clock a. m.
au25

WILLIAM RAE, Deceased.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS ESTATE are to be sent in to the undersigned before the 1st October, otherwise they will be disallowed.
M. W. T. DRAKE,
au25 Administrator.

Information Wanted

OF JOHN CUNDALL, AN OLD RESIDENT of Virginia City, Nevada, who left this place in May, 1875, for the Cassiar Mines, British Columbia. Any information that can be given of him will be gratefully received by his brother,
BENJAMIN CUNDALL,
Virginia City, Nevada.
August 14th, 1876. au24 2w

FRESH GOODS, NEW STYLES!

H. MANSEL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already
Well Selected Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.
Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
Country Orders promptly attended to.
Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
jy20

SELLING OFF AT COST!

To Close Copartnership.

BURNS & EDWARDS

Corner of Yates and Broad Streets,

Beg to notify the Public that for the
NEXT NINETY DAYS they will Offer their Entire Stock at COST!

THE GOODS HAVE TO BE SOLD, AND FOR CASH WILL BE SOLD AT COST!!

THE STOCK COMPRISES:

CROCKERY AND CHINAWARE—A Full Assortment, including Dinner and Tea Services, Toilet Sets, &c.
GLASSWARE—Cut Decanters, Claret Jugs, Sherries, Ports, Champagnes, Butto Dishes, Sugar Bowls, &c.
PLATEDWARE—Spoons, Forks, Tea Services, Cake Baskets, Toast Racks, &c.
TABLE CUTLERY, Pocket Cutlery, Carpenters' Tools, Hardware, Holloware, Tea Trays, Slop Pails, Flat Irons, Foot Baths, Bread Boards and Knives, Carpets, Wall Paper, Lamps, Lanterns, Coal Vases, Perambulators, Bird Cages, Window Blinds, &c.

An Invoice of Men's Clothing,
An Invoice of Ladies' Black Silk Dresses.
je13

LOST.

ON SUNDAY, JULY 16th, AT CHRIST Church, or on the way to it, a Gold Locket containing Portrait. The finder will be rewarded.
au1 Apply at THIS OFFICE.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 29TH, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug. 28—str Beaver, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Aug. 28—str Beaver, Nanaimo
str Enterprise, New Westminster
str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
sch Industry, Saanich

IMPORTS.

Per str Isabel, fm Puget Sound—1 horse, 3 sks oysters, 350 sks flour, 49 sks wheat, 10 sacks chop, 10 bls oatmeal, 7 bls furs.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str Isabel, fm Puget Sound—W Marshal, Levy, R Carr, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, A Bossi & Co.

Testimonial to a Departing Clergyman.

A farewell sermon was preached at the hall of the Literary Institute, North Saanich, on Sunday the 27th inst., by the Rev. F. B. Gribbell, preliminary to his contemplated departure for England. After the conclusion of the services a purse containing forty dollars was presented to the reverend gentleman, together with the following address:

NORTH SAANICH, B.C.,
Aug. 27th, 1876.

The Reverend Frank B. Gribbell, M. A., Victoria, B.C.

REVEREND AND DEAR SIR,—On the eve of your departure to visit your native land the Congregation in this portion of your extensive field of labour desire to express to you their warm appreciation of your services.

For many years past, undeterred by inclemency of weather or other casual impediment, you have punctually fulfilled your appointments in this District; and the faithful performance of your arduous duties in connection with us calls forth an expression of acknowledgement to which we cheerfully respond. For our own parts, then, and for others who may not have the opportunity of joining with us, we desire to convey to you this expression, in few words, but not therefore the less strongly.

Should it hereafter, in the order of events, be your part to re-visit these shores, we cordially express our hope that the kindly intercourse which, in your ministerial capacity, has so long subsisted between us, may be renewed—and renewed, we trust, under circumstances in all respects more favorable.

We respectfully present to you, for the purchase of some momento of our connexion, a small offering—the amount of which the period of the year and other circumstances must excuse. We present it to you, however, knowing that you will receive it, not as measuring the extent of our goodwill, but in earnest of its sincerity.

Wishing for yourself and your family a safe voyage home, and, as we hope, a safe return, we subscribe ourselves, Reverend and dear sir,

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) By the congregation generally.

FARMERS' MEETING.

A farmers' meeting at Colwood on Saturday was presided over by Mr. Peatt, and Mr. Fisher of Metchosin was called to the Chair. Remarks were made by Messrs. Tyler, Helgesen, Fisher, M.P.P., Mr. Williams, M. P. P., Mr. DeCosmos, M.P., Dr. Ash, M. P. P., and Mr. Cogan. Mr. Fisher of Metchosin moved the following resolution, which was carried unanimously:

"That this meeting approves of the appointment of delegates to act in concert with others from every district in the Province, with the object of representing to his Excellency, the Governor-General, the disastrous results of the tariff of the Dominion on the agricultural interests of the Province."

The mover and Mr. Tyler were appointed delegates to a Farmers' Convention for Esquimalt and Metchosin districts.

LUNATIC ASSYLUM.—At present there are 41 inmates of this institution, 37 males and four females, the largest number for many years past. Several of the males are violent and require constant watching, and it is thought that during the winter months' extra accomodation will be found necessary. It would almost seem that taking into consideration the increase of insanity, an additional wing to the Asylum on the Indian reserve must be built to make room for the lunatics previous to their removal to the Mainland in June next.

CITY POLICE COURT.—Mary, a Fort Rupert Indian, charged with stealing a blanket from the premises of John Carson, pleaded poverty, but was sentenced to 14 days imprisonment with hard labor. Kim Kade, charged with being d. & d., was fined $1 25 or 6 hours imprisonment, and a Siwash named Billy Wilson was sent to prison one month for a similar offense. Billy Wilson was further charged with stealing a pair of boots; but on this charge was remanded for two days.

THEATRE TO-NIGHT. — As announced elsewhere the seamen and marines of the H. M. S. Fantome will give an entertainment at Theatre Royal to-night in aid of the wives and families of the victims of the "Thunderer" disaster. A very attractive programme has been prepared and it is hoped that so good a cause will receive the hearty support of the public. Reserved seats can be secured to-day without extra charge.

ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Senator Cornwall, whilst riding from Yale bound for his residence at Ashcroft, was thrown from his horse and severely injured, one of his legs being broken. A dispatch was received here yesterday requesting the immediate attention of Dr. J. B. Matthews, who leaves per steamer Enterprise this morning to attend on Mr. Cornwall.

REMOVAL.—Mr. H. M. Cooper, boot and shoe dealer, recently of Yates street, has removed, and now occupies a convenient premises on Government street next to the Bank of British Columbia.

OUR RIFLEMEN are practicing for the return match between this city and New Westminster.

LICENSE GRANTED.—Yesterday a retail liquor license was granted to Mr. Young for the premises on Yates street formerly known as the Eugene Thomas Saloon.

Address to the Lieut.-Governor and Reply.

Yesterday the following address was presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor by a deputation of gentlemen connected with the Presbyterian Church. The Moderator, in presenting the address in the name of the Presbytery, took occasion to remark that the presentation of the address was delayed owing to the difficulty of calling the Presbytery together, scattered as its members are over the country:—

To His Honor the Honorable Albert Norton Richards, Lieutenant-Governor, &c., &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOR:—

The Presbytery of British Columbia in connection with the Church of Scotland wish to take this their first opportunity of conveying to Your Honor an assurance of our steadfast loyalty to the Throne, Person and Government of our most Gracious Queen.

The Presbytery beg at the same time to congratulate Your Honor upon being appointed to the distinguished and responsible position of the Lieutenant-Governorship of this Province, and express their conviction that the administrative ability and the long acquaintance possessed by Your Honor with the practical working of responsible government render the appointment highly auspicious for the welfare, progress and prosperity of the Province. The Presbytery, while laboring to perpetuate and extend in this Western Province those religious institutions and observances which have under the blessing of God produced such good results in the other Provinces of the Dominion, congratulate themselves that under the just and prudent administration of Your Honor they shall have the most favorable opportunities for prosecuting their work.

In conclusion, the Presbytery earnestly hope and believe that under the government of Your Honor the best interests of the country shall be greatly advanced, and peace, prosperity, law and order reign throughout the Province.

In the name and in behalf of the Presbytery of British Columbia.

S. MCGREGOR,
Moderator.

His Honor having cordially received the deputation replied to the address in the following terms:—

SIR:—Allow me through you to thank the Presbytery of British Columbia in connection with the Church of Scotland for the address which you have just presented to me on their behalf.

All will agree that the members of your Church are truly loyal to the Throne, Person and Government of our Most Gracious Sovereign, and should any evidence be necessary to show this the magnificent reception given here a few days ago to Her Majesty's representative in the Dominion, will furnish it.

I fear you speak in too flattering terms of my administrative ability and acquaintance with the working of responsible government, although I may state that I have lived under irresponsible Colonial government, against which many of the people of the old Provinces of Canada rose in rebellion, and afterwards under responsible government subsequently granted to those Provinces, under which they have prospered to an unprecedented extent, and now comprise a happy, free and loyal people. No system of government other than responsible would be satisfactory to a British people, and as it in a measure relieves the head of the government from responsibilities and casts them upon the people, it behoves the latter to exercise great judgment in selecting their representatives, and when chosen confidence in them is absolutely necessary in order to give stability to the government until forfeited by mismanagement.

It is remarkable that in the older Provinces so many of the leading politicians and business men are Scotchmen, and the wonder is how Scotland with so small a population in comparison to the rest of Great Britain and Ireland could produce them. Possibly the explanation lies in their early training under the influence of the Kirk, and if this be the case your Church would deserve well of the country should it produce similar results here; but whatever may be the effect of its labours I am sure that its Ministers will never have any cause to complain of any interference with their freedom of action.

It will be my pleasing duty in every legitimate way to aid the development of the resources of this Province, believing that they are sufficient to ensure great prosperity, and I have no doubt that law and order will (as hitherto) prevail throughout the country, and it is to be hoped that wisdom may guide the counsels of those who are the arbiters of peace and war so that peace may reign in the land.

28th August, 1875.

PUGET SOUND.—Seattle *Intelligencer*.—It is proposed to drain several thousand acres of rich agricultural land on White river, subject to inundation, and by running a catchment drain along the bottom of the bluff past the outlet of the Talbot coal mine to intercept the enormous inflow from the surrounding hills, it is thought that it may be reclaimed and subjected to the various purposes of agriculture. If the project is feasible and the law of the last Assembly makes provision for public aid in such enterprises, it will open a large tract of the most fertile land in King county to agriculture ....*Tribune*.—The house of Mr. McConaha was entered twice, and on the first occasion robbed. The other night a thief reached in through the open window of Dr. Calhoun's residence and removed the clothing of himself and wife, after taking from which the money, a watch, instruments and other things, scattering the articles up and down the street and lots ....The Taglioni opera troupe are coming north.....Five cases of smallpox are reported in Cowlitz valley.... Robert Kennedy, a wholesale farmer of Walla Walla, put in about 400 acres of wheat on what is known as Baker's Bluff, land hitherto considered perfectly worthless, unless for country roads, and realized from the same land thirty-two bushels of wheat to the acre....A proposition has been made to remove the jam in the Nootsack river for $500, and it is to do the whole work or receive no pay.... The Swinimish farmers are cutting their grain with all the force at their command. The two big threshing machines, one steam and the other horse, are at work near Lacorner, moving from farm to farm and threshing daily in the neighborhood of 2,500 bushels, Barley is being cut first.

BALL.—Invitations have been issued for a ball to be given by His Excellency the Governor-General on the 18th prox. at Government House.

Canadian Affairs in England.

GLOBE LONDON OFFICE, Aug 14.

The Province of Quebec loan is receiving a better subscription than was expected. The London bidding is bad, but the offers from the country are much better. It is stated that half a million has been taken. It is rumored that the Stock Exchange, Glasgow, Syndicate has taken a large amount. The Merchants' Bank and the Treasurer of the Province of Quebec state they are satisfied.

The Merchant Shipping Bill has been settled to the satisfaction of Canadians. The Commons carry one amendment against the Lords.

Hon. Mr. Blake will sail on the 24th, and Deputy Minister Smith on the 27th.

FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.—The Toronto *Mail* says: Mr. John Kerr, of West Zorra, has recently disposed of his farm of 200 acres, lot 32, in the 5th concession, to Mr. John McLeod of West Nissouri, for the handsome sum of $9,000 cash. Mr. Kerr, accompanied by Mr. Wm. Murray, of Stratford, intends to start immediately on a trip to and through British Columbia—as mentioned last week—, where, if it suits them, they intend to take up their future abode. Much regret is felt at the departure of Mr. Kerr, as he possesses such amiable traits of character as make him a great favorite in the community.

WOOL-GATHERING.— The *Standard* is absurdly mixed in its utterances relative to the appointment of the Government Agent at Clinton. It says that it "has nothing against Mr. Hughes' appointment as toll clerk, etc., etc." If Mr. Hughes were an officeholder the *Standard* would no doubt be the first to denounce him in every manner possible; but on this occasion our contemporary has got off the wrong boot first as Mr. Hughes does not hold the position of toll clerk or, in fact, any other position under the Local Government. Our contemporary's assertion is just as unaccountable as many other of its remarks.

SCHOONER SEIZED. — The schooner Ocean Spray has been seized at Ounalaska by the deputy collector of customs for Alaska, while engaged in killing fur seals and trading whisky to Indians. Her captain, Butler, with crew, was taken to Sitka and will be sent to Portland, Oregon, for trial.

NEW RESTAURANT.—Mr. Crossman has opened a new restaurant on Fort street, next to the Brown Jug Saloon, which he designates the "West Country Chop and Pie House." He announces that hot pies may be purchased at any hour of the evening.

TWO VESSELS from Honolulu are lying in San Francisco Bay. They have cargoes of sugar and rice, and no one is able to say whether reciprocity with Sandwich Islands is in force or not. The President has been asked.

H. N. STEELE, formerly of Cariboo and Cassiar, is now in San Francisco, having recently returned from Mexico, where he has been for a year or two past.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamer Isabel arrived here at five o'clock last evening from Puget Sound with the overland mails, a dozen passengers, and about 10 tons of freight.

THE ship Merchant, laden with Harewood coal for San Francisco, arrived down yesterday morning.

THE ship Black Eagle is chartered to load lumber at Burrard Inlet for Callao at $16 per thousand feet.

DRUNK OR CRAZY?

EDITOR COLONIST:—Opinion is divided as to the mental condition of Amor DeCosmos when he wrote himself the letter signed "Public Opinion" and printed it in his paper to-day Has the man with the polypseuchonymous name taken final leave of his senses, or was he laboring under a slight obfuscation of intellect produced by too liberal potations overnight. When threatened with personal chastisement by a citizen who was made indignant by the vulgar attack on Earl Dufferin, Amor De Cosmos is said to have avoided punishment by urging that he was "drunk" when he wrote it. But what excuse will he urge for placing in the hands of a moral and intelligent community such a grossly indecent letter as that to which he signed "Public Opinion?" DeCosmos has done and said many dirty things in his lifetime, but this letter must be stamped as his filthiest production—so filthy that I hesitate to believe his paper will be longer tolerated. The law excuses no man for acts committed while in a state of intoxication. If he was drunk when he wrote it he is still responsible. If he is crazy he should be taken care of. Children are not allowed to play with edged tools. Why should a maniac, when worsted in argument or in a fit of jealous rage at the success of a rival, be permitted to offend the moral sensibilities of a whole city by the publication of vulgarity? VOX POPULI.

Immigration.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Some very interesting statistics have recently been compiled by Dr. Farr in his report to the Registrar-General of England. He has found that the value of a Norfolk agricultural laborer is $1230 at the age of twenty-five. The child is by this method worth $280 at the age of five; $585 at the age of ten, and the youth $960 at the age of fifteen. These calculations nearly agree with the official reports of the value of all immigrants entering the United States, as Dr. Engel puts it at $1125. Such facts are worthy of the serious consideration of all colonists, and their full importance is thoroughly understood by the most progressive, such as Australia, New Zealand, and to a smaller extent by Canada. Unfortunately for British Columbia, although official arrangements were made by the Immigration Conference of 1871, no action has been taken by the Canadian Government to attract emigrants to this Province. However, the present Provincial Government appear to have made a move in the right direction by appointing Immigration Agents at Victoria and New Westminster. I would suggest that the time has now arrived to organize a definite scheme of immigration aided by the Government and controlled by a standing committee of the Provincial Parliament. In the first place, it would be necessary to have a Government Agent in London whose duty it would be to select suitable emigrants, to give every information that would be available to strangers desirous of making this Province their home, such as the relative cost of the various routes, the nature of the soil, climate, natural productions, rates of wages and cost of living. Pamphlets descriptive of the country and illustrated with maps should be judiciously distributed through the United Kingdom, especially in the agricultural districts.

The Agent-General in London should also have copies of all the public documents, statutes, maps and newspapers of the province open to public inspection. This would be especially valuable to parties endeavoring to place loans, and all other persons seeking authentic information about British Columbia, which could scarcely be found elsewhere in the United Kingdom.

In the next place the Government Immigration Agents at Victoria and New Westminster would attend to the immigrants on their arrival. Homes should be established at these two places on the same plan as those in Eastern Canada, where the married men could leave their families whilst they were seeking land or employment.

But in order to attract the class that is wanted here, namely, married or single artisans, agricultural and other laborers, gardeners, copper, tin, and lead miners, free or assisted passages must be granted. Doubtless arrangements would be made to bring them direct by sailing vessel at the minimum of cost, and the Canadian Government would defray a portion of the expense, thus placing British Columbia on the same footing as the Eastern Provinces as regards immigration.

If the result of such a scheme as I have sketched would be to add but 500 selected immigrants to our population every year, the benefit would be $615,000 annually added to our national wealth, in their capacity, as consumers, producers and contributors to the Revenue. J. S. K.

Card of Mr. W. M. Brown, Member for Lillooet.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I see by WEEKLY COLONIST of the 9th inst. an article headed "Saanich Thoughts." The author of this article has seen proper to make mention of my name, and also that of my colleague (Mr. Morrison). He says that Mr. Humphreys boasts freely that he could drag us round like two hounds on a chain, and he says we should like to hear what they (we) have to say as to such a boast. My own opinion is (Mr. Morrison can answer for himself) that Mr. Humphreys never made the boast, for Mr. Humphreys well knows that it would take a stronger power than he is capable of wielding to influence either of us from doing what in our opinion was not strictly in accord with our views. This statement is too transparent to have the desired effect it was intended for. The proceedings I witnessed at the caucusses when forming the present ministry are too fresh in my memory to allow a false statement of this sort to have a resting-place in my mind a single moment.

I would recommend, Mr. Editor, by way of kindly advice to the author of the article that he had better go back to London and tell them that the people in British Columbia are not the fools he took them for. I think, Mr. Editor, that the people of Saanich are quite capable of thinking or judging for themselves in their own local affairs without the assistance of "Saanich Thoughts" to think for them.

You will kindly oblige me by inserting the above in your valuable paper.

Yours truly,
W. M. BROWN.

Fraser River, Aug. 17, 1876.

MR. ALF. HILLENMEYER, who has for a number of years been employed as watchmaker by a leading firm in this city, has opened a shop for repairs of watches, clocks and jewelry on Government street, second door from Yates. With extensive experience in the business he guarantees entire satisfaction. All watch and clock work warranted for one year. *3m

MUSIC — NOTICE OF REMOVAL. — Mr. Digby Palmer has removed into his new residence, Fort street. Instruction on the pianoforte, singing and thorough bass; pianofortes tuned; evening parties and balls supplied with music; pianofortes tuned by the year, $10. Orders may be left at T. N. Hibben & Co's. *6m

JUST RECEIVED.—At Albion House a further supply of the Raymond favorite sewing machine; also, Chappell & Co.'s prize medal Pianofortes and Alexandre Harmoniums. For sale at agents' rates on easy terms by A. B. GRAY & Co., Government street. July 21st, 1876. *

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LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—The week that closed last evening has been the most productive one of the exhibition. The whole number of paying visitors, beginning with Aug. 19th, which was a 25ct. day, ending with Friday, Aug. 25th was about 243,366, and the cash receipts were about $108,000.

Early this morning a fire broke out in the sheds used for for storing Exhibits back of the Atlas Hotel near the Centennial grounds. The fire raged several hours, destroying four large sheds and most of their contents comprising boxes which had contained British, German, Austrian, French and American exhibits. The loss will reach several thousands dollars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—The Counsel of Henry Ward Beecher in suit of malicious prosecution brought by T. D. Moulton, have served upon the latter's Counsel notice of application for change of venue, on the ground that the selection of an impartial jury in the case is impossible because of the great divisions of public opinion among those whom the jury would have to be selected.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The 'Tribune's' Washington special says there has been much uneasiness here for some days among the Democratic Managing Congressional Committee over the charge that Tilden swore falsely in connection with his income. They have been anxiously awaiting explanations from New York. Admitting the seriousness of the matter, unless it could be satisfactorily met, the explanation of Tilden's secretary that the railroad fees were not entirely his income for 1862, although received in that year, was not accepted here by the Democrats, and some of them even questioned the authority of the dispatch from Albany attributing so thin an excuse to the Secretary, until one of Tilden's recognized New York organs arrived last night with a formal editonal defense based on the same grounds. However, all are shrewd enough to see that the defense will not answer the charge. The ease with which all classes of voters comprehend it and the convincing nature of the few sentences of proof which establish it are the elements of the case which cause so much trouble. It is really the only charge that has given Tilden's followers here real concern.

CANADA.

TORONTO, Aug. 26.—The "Globe" to-day has a cablegram containing a summary of an editorial in the London "Times," founded on a dispatch via San Francico concerning the alleged excitement in British Columbia. The *Times* says the Pacific railway promised British Columbia entered the Dominion. Mr. Mackenzie, embarrassed by financial difficulties and Canadian discontent, throws the Pacific railway scheme overboard. At this crisis in the Confederation Lord Dufferin intervenes and visits Vancouver Island to tranquilize the excitement of the colonists. The Columbians are excited and to be quiet is a political impossibility. Canadians must be told they are playing fast and loose with a solemn engagement, jeopardizing their young national credit and discrediting the English name of which they profess to be proud. The 'Globe' characterizes the 'Times' article as ignorant and supercillious, and says Mackenzie is not hampered by financial difficulties; the Pacific railway scheme has not been abandoned; that any crisis has occurred in the Confederation is mere rubbish; that Lord Dufferin's visit is merely of pleasure, and taunts the 'Times' with being over-ready to draw its inspiration respecting Canada from telegrams emanating from American sources.

Second Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—A special to the 'Daily News' from Belgrade says Gen. Tchernayoff telegraphed to Prince Milan that the Servians won a great victory on Thursday. Gen. Hevalivitch abandoned pursuit of the Turks at Tresibaba and attacked the rear of the Turkish right wing. Tchernayoff at the same time attacked them in front. The Turks were routed with great loss and according to Tchernayoff's account 15,000 were killed, wounded and taken prisoners. 31 Russian officers were killed in this battle.

A Belgrade telegram to the 'Times' says it is almost certain that the war is about at an end. The Servians are ignorant of the fact that their government is sueing for peace. The news of Tchernayoff's victory is spreading like wildfire and there is great rejoicing over the success. At this time it is important as it will be used by the war party, but may help Servia to secure better terms. Important diplomatic action on the part of the Powers and armistice between Turkey and Servia may be expected immediately. Turkey will ask for permanent occupation by her troops at certain Servian fortresses and war indemnity.

VIENNA, Aug. 26.—It is asserted that at the preliminary peace negotiations between the signers of the treaty of Paris, including Russia, it was proposed as a basis of arrangement that Prince Milan should be retained on the throne, Servia to pay a war indemnity and Turkey to have the right of placing garrisons in Servian fortresses on Turkish frontier.

RAGUSA, Aug. 26.—A battle is imminent near Podquritza. Dervish Pasha has taken command of troops in Abbina. It is stated that the Merriditts, a powerful tribe of Roman Catholic Albanians, will remain neutral.

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—The Great Powers have agreed to request the Porte to accede to a suspension of hostilities for the purpose of accelerating a settlement of terms of peace.

The 'Standard's' Rome correspondent telegraphs that a dispatch has been received there dated August 16th announcing that a revolt broke out in Argyropolis and that armed bands are pouring into Albania, Thessaly and Epirus.

The 'Courier de France' has a dispatch from Vienna to the same effect. It adds, "Musselmen Albanians having pillaged the suburbs of Janinia, the Russian Consul demanded justice of the governor, who refused it. The Consul and rich Greeks then organized an armed force of volunteers, and a combat has already taken place at Pyevasa between Greeks and Turks.

A special from Therapia represents that persons surrounding the Sultan are determined that the state of his health shall not be known. Dr. Lidirstoroff, in his report to the Turkish Government, says the Sultan is suffering from a purely nervous complaint. The correspondent adds that the truth of the matter is that Murad's brain is crazed and the man is a mere wreck. He is never left alone and the country is really without a head. Lidirstoroff is almost a prisoner in the place and is denied communication with his friends.

VIENNA, Aug. 26.—Political correspondence reports the chances of the Sultan's recovery diminish daily, and the ministers are seriously considering the question of the approaching change in the succession.

LONDON, Aug. 27,—A dispatch from Dasdtchen reports that Tuesday two columns of Servians at Alexinatz mistook each other for the enemy and a serious fight took place before the error was discovered. Some Bulgarian volunteers shot their commanders, who ordered them to advance. Wounded men decline to have operations performed by English surgeons as do nine in ten natives in similar cases, although they know death will follow their refusal.

A telegram from Belgrade reports discontent among the people on account of the foreign representatives for a cessation of hostilities being refused by the ministry.

A dispatch from Vienna says the Porte requires that Prince Milan shall address overtures for peace directly to the Turkish Government,

BERLIN, 27.—A special dispatch announces that at a recent council of the Servian Cabinet Prince Milan's resolution in favor of mediation was approved.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The *Standard's* Belgrade dispatch says, while Prince Milan is showing his good sense in trying to negotiate peace Russian officers continue to arrive in great numbers and General Tchernayoff by repeated attempts upon the Turkish lines is doing his best to make the negotiations abortive. He has succeeded so far that the Porte in reply to a tender of mediation by the great powers declined to listen to any proposals, consequently the fighting continues.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Only four new cases of smallpox reported this morning up to date. The total number of cases brought to the attention of the authorities is 588 with 158 deaths. The disease is apparently under control.

At a meeting of the 10th District Democratic Club last night Lieut.-Governor Johnson in a speech made the remarkable statement that the Chinese companies had contributed thirty thousand dollars towards carrying the State and that English capitalists were going to raise a large amount of money to carry the country for Hayes and Wheeler so as to establish a monarchial form of government and bring to our shores four millions more Chinamen to cheapen labor.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 27.—Arrived—Shep King Phillip, Port Gamble; bktn. Discovery, Port Discovery.

Sailed—Bktn. Ella, Port Townsend; ship Coquimbo, Pt. Madison; bk. Buena Vista, Pt. Gamble; ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; ship Commodore, Port Ludlow.

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NOTICE.

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aug3 1m DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitors.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh4

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THE NEWEST STYLES OF TYPE FOR VISITING CARDS at
au20 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

Notices.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE carried on by the undersigned at the St. Nicholas Hotel has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. C. Trehart will collect all debts due to and pay all liabilities incurred by the late firm of Trehart & Hemenover.

CHAS. TREHART,
ELIAS. F. HEMENOVER.

Witness—E. Harrison, jr.
Dated Aug. 8th, 1876. au10

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
July 28th, 1876.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor directs the following notice to be published for general information:—

At 2:30 p. m. on the 28th July, 1876, the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS attended at the Supreme Court, Victoria, and handed to the Honorable Chief Justice BEGBIE and Honorable Mr. Justice CREASE a Commission from the Governor-General of Canada, appointing him the said Honorable A. N. RICHARDS to be Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Province of British Columbia, which Commission, as herewith published, having been read aloud, as well as the Commission empowering the Honorable Chief Justice BEGBIE and the Honorable Mr. Justice CREASE to administer the necessary oaths of office. The Chief Justice duly administered the customary oaths of allegiance and office to the Honorable Mr. RICHARDS, and His Honor thereupon entered upon the office and assumed the duties of Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia.

[L.S.] DUFFERIN.

CANADA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, of the Town of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, in Our Dominion of Canada, Esquire.

GREETING.

L. H. BERNARD, Deputy of the Minister of Justice, Canada.

WHEREAS We did, by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Our Dominion of Canada, bearing date at the City of Ottawa, the fifth day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fifth of Our Reign, appoint the Honorable Joseph William Trutch to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of British Columbia, for and during Our will and pleasure, and upon relation being had to the said recited Letters Patent will more fully and at large appear.

And whereas, on the twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, five years will have elapsed from the appointment of the said the Honorable Joseph William Trutch as such Lieutenant Governor, and We have thought fit that from and after the date last above-mentioned such appointment should be revoked, and you the said the Honorable Albert Norton Richards appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Province British Columbia.

Now KNOW YOU, that from and after the said twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, We do by these presents revoke and determine the said recited Letters Patent, and every clause, article and thing therein contained.

AND FURTHER KNOW YOU, that We, reposing especial trust and confidence in the prudence, courage, loyalty, and integrity of you the said Albert Norton Richards, of Our especial grace, certain knowledge, and mere motion, have thought fit to constitute and appoint you, and by these presents do constitute and appoint you to be, from and after the said twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy six, the Lieutenant-Governor in and over the Province of British Columbia, during the pleasure of Our Governor-General of Canada.

AND WE DO HEREBY authorize and empower and require and commend you, in due manner, to do and execute all things that shall belong to you said command and the trust We have reposed in you, according to the several powers and directions granted or appointed you by virtue of this Our present Commission, and of the Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the thirtieth year of Our Reign, entitled the "British North America Act, 1867," according to such instructions as are herewith given to you, or which may from time to time be given to you in respect of the said Province of British Columbia, under the sign manual of Our Governor-General of Our said Dominion of Canada, or by Order of Our Privy Council of Canada, and according to such Laws as are or shall be in force within the said Province of British Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Cousin and Councillor The Right Honorable Sir Frederic Temple, Earl of Dufferin, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the County Down, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye, of Ballyleidy and Killileagh, in the County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland, and a Baronet, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Knight Grand Cross of Our most distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, and Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor-General of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same

AT Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this twenty seventh day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our reign.

By Command.
R. W. SCOTT,
Secretary of State. jy30

Cassiar Express

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar every Steamer to Fort Wrangel. Packages and letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co., will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON,
Agent for BRITISH COLONIST Newspaper. ap27

Information Wanted

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF ALLAN McISAAC, who left Stornoway, Scotland, in 1849, for Hudson Bay Service. He is a native of Eachder, South Quist, Scotland, about 48 years of age. Information leading to his recovery will be rewarded by $100 by his faithful brother, John McIsaac, Parkhill, Ontario, Canada. au9dw

Notice to Claimants of Land.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, have been sub-divided by survey, and the map thereof has been forwarded to the office of John Ussher, Esq., Commissioner, Kamloops:—

Portions of Townships 100, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, and 201.

And that Claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Kamloops.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 12th August, 1876. au13

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province; of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the twentieth day of July next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the 20th day of July next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear,

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of September next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed:

WITNESS the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Thirtieth day of June, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
HENRY S. MASON,
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court. jy1

New Advertisements.

TEMPORARY LOAN ACT, 1876.

Official Copy of the Debenture.

THE following is published for general information:

T. BASIL HUMPHREYS,
Minister of Finance.

TREASURY, VICTORIA, 7th June, 1876.

No.

BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT DEBENTURE.

"BRITISH COLUMBIA LOAN ACT, 1876."

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FOR.....DOLLARS

advanced to the GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, the Holder of this Debenture is entitled to receive Interest at the rate of SEVEN per centum per Annum, in half-yearly payments, payable at the Treasury, Victoria, British Columbia, or....., on the First day of January, and the First day of July, in each year, on presentation of this Debenture.

The said sum of.....DOLLARS

with the Interest thereon, is charged upon and made payable out of the Revenue of the Province of British Columbia, under the provisions of the "British Columbia Loan Act, 1876," and the Principal will be repaid at the Treasury, Victoria, British Columbia, or.....on presentation of, and in exchange for, this Debenture, at any time not less than two years after the issue hereof.

Date of issue.....187 .

Entered in Debenture Register,.....day of.....187 . .....Auditor.

By Order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

.....
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

.....
MINISTER OF FINANCE.

Dentistry.

C. F. Barnard, M. D.,
DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:
DOUGLAS STREET.
Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.

VICTORIA, May 11th, 1876.

DR. J. CALDER,
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DENTIST,

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO.
OFFICE:
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DENTIST,

Office, - - - Occidental Building,
(Up Stairs,)
Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts.,
VICTORIA, B. C.
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The Under Secretary of State to the Lieutenant-Governor.

OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, herewith for the information of your Government, a copy of an Order of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, transferring and appropriating certain lands therein described, for the use of the Legislature and Government of the Province of British Columbia.

I have, etc.,
(Signed) EDOUARD LANGEVIN.

Government House, Ottawa, Friday, 26th May, 1876.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and under the provisions of the 8th section of the "British North America Act, 1867," and the 8th item of the Third Schedule attached thereto,—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following properties situated in the localities hereinafter mentioned in the Province of British Columbia be, and they are hereby, transferred to and appropriated for the use of the Legislature and Government of the said Province of British Columbia, that is to say:—

1. The lots and Buildings marked B, C and E on plan No. 1, signed by the Honorable Henry Holbrook, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and being Lot B, the Government Buildings; Lot C, a School House and Reserve; and Lot E, the Police Barracks, all in Victoria.

2. The Lot and Building represented on plan No. 6, signed as above, and being the Lieutenant-Governor's residence at Victoria.

3. The Public Building and Land represented on plan No. 8, signed as above, and being a School Hous and Reserve in Victoria District.

4. The Lots and Buildings indicated on plan No. 10 by the letters C, E, and F, signed as above, being Lot C, the Court House and Jail; Lot E, a Public School House; and Lot F, a Public Hospital, all at New Westminster.

5. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 16, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Nanaimo.

6. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 17, by letter A, and signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Hope.

7. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 19, by letter A, signed as above, being the Jail at Yale.

8. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 22, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Lytton.

9. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 25, signed as above, being Lot A, a Court House; and Lot B, a Jail, at Lillooet.

10. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 28, signed as above, being the Jail at Quesnelle.

11. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 30, signed as above, and marked respectively "Court House," "Jail," and "Police Barracks," at Richfield.

12. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 31, signed as above, and marked "Assay Office," and "approximate site of Jail," at Barkerville.

13. The Public Building indicated on plan No. signed as above, and marked "Lock-up," at Van Winkle.

14. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 33, and marked "Court House, Gaol, Police Barracks, Church and Parsonage," at Langley; all of which plans are authenticated by the signature of the Minister of Public Works, and remain on record in his department.

And it is further ordered, that the said enumerated properties be, and they are hereby, transferred to the said Province of British Columbia, in their present state, and subject to any condition in the original grant or reservation, and to any trust, rent, claim, servitude, or other encumbrance whatsoever.

(Signed) W. A. HIMSWORTH,
Clerk Privy Council, Canada.
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Opening of High School.

NOTICE IS HERE BY GIVEN THAT THE High School opened on Monday morning the 7th instant, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the old District School House on the School Reserve.

All pupils who have passed the examination and who are purposing to attend, are expected to enroll themselves at the commencement of the session.

By order of the Board of Education,
JOHN JESSOP,
Supt. of Education.
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Notices.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2nd June, 1876.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council directs it to be publicly notified, that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council, to disallow the Act passed on the 22nd of April, 1875 by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, intituled "An Act to make provision for the better Administration of Justice."

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary.
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Trespass Notice.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY WARNED against trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned in pursuit of game and wild fowl.

B. W. PEARSE.
7th August, 1876. au8

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY WARNED to abstain from trespassing in search of game on the Lake Hill Farm, and anyone found so trespassing will be prosecuted according to law.

A. McKENZIE.
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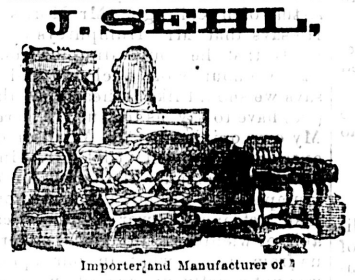
J. SEHL,



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JOHN TEAGUE,
Architect,

Cor. Government and Fort Streets.
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New Advertisements.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

Summer Arrangements from 1st April, to 31st September, 1876.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 11 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 24.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
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New Westminster & Burrard Inlet and Yale.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1876:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$120,976 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 93,479 00
Balances due to other Banks and branches	16,707 15	Gold Bullion	10,215 00
Deposits on call bearing interest	133,148 33	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,905 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	505,835 17	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	503,825 43
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	164,799 21
Total amount of Liabilities	$776,666 65	Total amount of Assets	$794,223 64

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1876 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $200,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,158,130

(Signed) J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., 10th July, 1876. ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, this 10th day of July, 1876.
(Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.
mh8

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1876.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$218,057 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$188,237 97
Balances due to other Banks and Branches.	21,022 79	Gold and Silver Bullion	13,550 40
Deposits not bearing interest	$638,581 43	Landed and other Property	19,987 70
Deposits bearing interest	85,210 76 723,792 19	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	248,850 30
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	816,908 15
Total amount of Liabilities	$ 962,871 98	Total amount of Assets	$1,297,534 52

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th June, 1876 ..... $1,730,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 per cent. per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 64,440 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend ..... $ 165,605 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B.C., 30th June, 1876.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of July, 1876.
jy22 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P

C. P. R. R.
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je7 3m

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je3 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

NOTICE.

W. P. SAYWARD.

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Windows, Doors, &c.,
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Feeling grateful to my patrons and the public for their past favors, I will endeavor to merit the same liberal support in the future.

my24 1m W. P. SAYWARD.

Dr. R. Price,

[Late of Virginia City, Nevada,]
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Insurance.

Royal Insurance Comp'y.

NOTICE—THE DIRECTORS OF THE ROYAL Insurance Company beg to notify that their business is continued as usual under the charge of Sproat & Co., Wharf street, Victoria, and they hope to be favored with the offer of risks as before.

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de14 L. S. LUCAS, Propr.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RETIRED from the business until now carried on by him at the "Angel Hotel," in Langley street, takes this opportunity of thanking the public for the very large share of patronage accorded him, and begs to recommend his successors, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Carne, who he believes will endeavor by strict attention to business and good management to deserve the same liberal patronage.

C. MORTON.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1876.

N. B.—All luggage, etc., which have been left with the above will be taken in charge by the new proprietors. au2dw

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LANGLEY STREET,

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au8 FREDK. CARNE.

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